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Service: 2016–2025 (including current term)

Most recent Congress: 119

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Biography

A Representative from Pennsylvania. Born in Philadelphia, Philadelphia County, Pa. , May 16, 1954. Graduated from Germantown High School, Philadelphia, Pa. , 1971. A. A. , Community College of Philadelphia, Philadelphia, Pa. , 1973. B. A. , La Salle University, Philadelphia, Pa. , 1975. Teacher, Philadelphia, Pa. , public schools. Employment counselor, Urban League of Philadelphia, Pa. Member of the Pennsylvania state house of representatives, 1980-2016. Unsuccessful candidate for nomination as lieutenant governor of Pennsylvania in 1986. Unsuccessful candidate for nomination for Governor of Pennsylvania in 1994. Unsuccessful candidate for nomination as Mayor of Philadelphia, Pa. , in 1999 & 2007. Elected simultaneously as a Democrat to the One Hundred Fourteenth and the One Hundred Fifteenth Congresses, by special election, to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of United States Representative Chaka Fattah, and reelected to the four succeeding Congresses (November 8, 2016-present).

Committee Memberships (Congress 119)

- Health Subcommittee – Subcommittee
- Ways and Means Committee – Standing
- Work and Welfare Subcommittee – Subcommittee

Legislative Activity (2016–2025)

Bills sponsored: 58

Bills cosponsored: 2931

Most Recent Sponsored Bills

Bill	Title	Status / Last Action
119 HRES 898	Recognizing November 2025 as "National Family Caregivers Month".	Referred to the Committee on Education and Workforce, and in addition to the Committees on Energy and Commerce, the Committee on Small Business, and the Committee on Veterans' Affairs. Updated Nov 20, 2025
119 HR 5384	MORE Act	Referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means. Updated Sep 16, 2025
119 HR 5383	Mentoring and Supporting Families Act	Referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means. Updated Sep 16, 2025
119 HRES 712	Expressing support for the designation of September 14, 2025, as "National Food is Medicine Day".	Referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committee on Agriculture, the Committee on Small Business, and the Committee on Veterans' Affairs. Updated Sep 15, 2025
119 HR 3681	Leveraging Educational Opportunity Networks Act	Referred to the House Committee on Education and Workforce. Updated Jun 3, 2025

Most Recent Cosponsored Bills

Bill	Title	Status / Last Action
119 HRES 969	Expressing support for the designation of the week beginning on September 8, 2025, as "National Hispanic-Serving Institutions Week".	Referred to the House Committee on Education and Workforce. Updated Dec 19, 2025
119 HR 4876	Reproductive Freedom for Veterans Act	Referred to the Subcommittee on Health. Updated Dec 19, 2025
119 HR 4611	EACH Act of 2025	Referred to the Subcommittee on Health. Updated Dec 19, 2025
119 HR 6900	To amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to address the nation's cost-of-living crisis.	Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means, and in addition to the Committees on Education and Work Updated Dec 18, 2025
119 HR 6830	To amend the Clayton Act to permit a State attorney general to bring a civil action for damages as parens patriae for injuries sustained by reason of price discrimination in violation of the Robinson-Patman Act amendments to the Clayton Act, and for other purposes.	Referred to the House Committee on the Judiciary. Updated Dec 17, 2025